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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PRESENTED BY:

**Bradley H. Jones, Jr.**

*To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:*

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act relative to applying the income tax to bribes and monies gained from illegal activities.

PETITION OF:

NAME:	DISTRICT/ADDRESS:
Bradley H. Jones, Jr.	20th Middlesex
George N. Peterson, Jr.	9th Worcester
Viriato Manuel deMacedo	1st Plymouth
Elizabeth Poirier	14th Bristol
Paul K. Frost	7th Worcester
Susan Williams Gifford	2nd Plymouth
Bradford R. Hill	4th Essex
Richard J. Ross	9th Norfolk
Todd M. Smola	1st Hampden
Daniel K. Webster	6th Plymouth

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In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

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## AN ACT RELATIVE TO APPLYING THE INCOME TAX TO BRIBES AND MONIES GAINED FROM ILLEGAL ACTIVITIES.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:*

- 1 SECTION 1. Subsection (b) of section 2 of chapter 62 of the General Laws, as appearing in the
- 2 2006 Official Edition, is hereby amended, in line 229, by striking out the words “gross income.”
- 3 and inserting in place thereof the following words:- gross income, provided that Part B gross
- 4 income shall include bribes, corrupt gifts and any income gained through illegal activities.